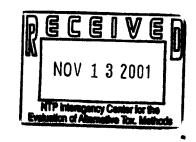


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Dr. William Stokes, Director NICEATM (MD EC-17), NIEHS P.O. Box 12233 Research Triangle Park, NC 27709



Dear Dr. Stokes,

November 8, 2001

As the director of a non-profit organization devoted to protecting animals, I am proud of your decision to move forward with in-vitro cell cultures as a means of testing. Our organization represents over 1,400 members, many who are doctors, lawyers, teachers and students, to name a few. The topic of animal experimentation is always a controversial one. Yet, it remains as one of the top animal issues that most of these members, along with the general public, concern themselves about. We all look forward to a day where animal experimentation will be a thing of the past and our quest in finding cures for diseases and effects of various chemicals will revolve around non-animal alternatives. We fully support your decision to use in-vitro cell cultures as a replacement for lethal animal tests. We have come a long way in these alternative developments and the future of them is an exciting one. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

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